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TO AMEMBASSY OSLO

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OSLO PASS D. HOLTON; COPENHAGEN PASS B. SEEHAUSEN;

E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJECT: U.S. DEEPWATER PORTS

STOCKHOLM PASSED. BUTCHER; LONDON PASS C. BLACK

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1. AS A RESULT OF DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN USG OFFICIALS
(MESSRS. LARSEN-DOT, MARGESON-USCG, AND JOHE-STATE) AND
HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, IT WAS AGREED THAT THE U.S.
WOULD PROPOSE EXCHANGE OF DIPLOMATIC NOTES TO INCOR-
PORATE THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE U.S. AND SCANDANAVIAN
GOVERNMENTS, AND POSSIBLY THE U.K., REGARDING JURISDICTION
OVER VESSELS UTILIZING U.S. DEEPWATER PORTS.

2. ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND MATERIAL WAS POUCHED OCT. 3

3. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS THE BELOW PROPOSED DIPLOMATIC NOTE TO THE FOLLOWING GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES: KARIN BRUZELIUS, MINISTRY OF JUSTICE (OSLO); BENGT NILLSON, MINISTRY OF JUSTICE (STOCKHOLM); MICHAEL FIEDLER, DEPT. OF TRADE (U.K.); MR. LYSGAARD, MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (COPENHAGEN).

4. PROPOSED NOTE:

THE (NORWEGIAN, SWEDISH, DANISH, UNITED KINGDOM) AMBASSADOR TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

SIR:

I HAVE THE HONOR TO REFER TO THE DISCUSSIONS WHICH HAVE TAKEN PLACE BETWEEN REPRESENTATIVES OF OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DEEPWATER PORTS OFF THE COAST OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE JURISDICTIONAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES DEEPWATER PORT ACT OF 1974, AND TO CONFIRM THAT THE TWO GOVERNMENTS ARE IN AGREEMENT THAT VESSELS REGISTERED IN OR FLYING THE FLAG OF (NORWAY, SWEDEEN, DENMARK, UNITED KINGDOM) AND THE PERSONNEL ONBOARD SUCH VESSELS, UTILIZING ANY UNITED STATES DEEPWATER

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PORT FACILITIES ESTABLISHED UNDER THE DEEPWATER PORT ACT OF 1974 SHALL, WHENEVER THEY MAY BE PRESENT WITHIN THE SAFETY ZONES OF SUCH DEEPWATER PORTS, BE SUBJECT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE CONCURRENT JURISDICTION OF (NORWAY, SWEDEN, DENMARK, UNITED KINGDOM), ON THE SAME BASIS AS WHEN IN COASTAL PORTS OF THE UNITED STATES.

IF THE FOREGOING IS ACCEPTABLE TO YOUR GOVERNMENT, I HAVE THE HONOR TO PROPOSE THAT THIS NOTE, TOGETHER WITH YOUR REPLY THERETO, SHALL CONSTITUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS, TO ENTER INTO FORCE UPON THE RECEIPT OF YOUR REPLY TO THAT EFFECT, AND TO REMAIN IN FORCE UNTIL TERMINATED BY SIX MONTHS' WRITTEN NOTICE BY EITHER PARTY TO THE OTHER.

ACCEPT, SIR, THE ASSURANCES OF MY HIGHEST CONSIDERATION.
CHRISTOPHER

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